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### UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA MARY E. D'ANDREA, CLERK

YUDAYA NANYONGA,

Plaintiff

Civil No. 1:00:CV-0034

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DORIS MEISSNER et al.,

Defendants

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#### DEFENDANT INS COMMISSIONER DORIS MEISSNER'S MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME

Defendant INS Commissioner Doris Meissner, by and through her counsel, hereby requests a brief extension of time to September 14, 2000, to respond to the complaint and states the following in support thereof:

- Plaintiff, Yudaya Nanyonga, was an alien detainee being held at the York County Prison, York, Pennsylvania. Presently, Nanyonga resides at 586 Purce Street, Hillside Township, New Jersey.
- Nanyonga has sued various INS and York County Prison 2) officials.
- Defendant Meissner response would be due on or about August 14, 2000.
- 4) Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), is gathering information in order that a response to the complaint can be made. However, the INS was unable to conclude its investigation into the allegations of the complaint. Therefore, agency counsel

is unable to provide the undersigned counsel with a litigation report prior to the expiration of the sixty-day period of time set in the Summons. Without agency counsel's assistance in providing the facts of the case and supporting documentation, undersigned counsel is unable to prepare an appropriate response.

- 6) Accordingly, in order to file an appropriate response, Defendant Meissner requests this Court to grant her a thirty day extension of time.
- 7) Counsel states due to the nature of Nanyonga's allegations, Nanyonga will not be prejudiced by a thirty day extension.

Wherefore, Defendant Meissner requests this Court to grant her motion for a thirty day extension of time to file an answer or otherwise respond.

Respectfully submitted,

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#### CERTIFICATE OF CONCURRENCE

On August 14, 2000, undersigned counsel requested concurrence from Susan M. Weber, counsel for the plaintiff, in a motion for enlargement of time. Counsel concurs in the motion. This certification is being provided in accordance with M.D. Pa. Local Rule 7.1.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE BY MAIL

The undersigned hereby certifies that she is an employee in the Office of the United States Attorney for the Middle District of Pennsylvania and is a person of such age and discretion as to be competent to serve papers.

That on August 14, 2000, she served a copy of the attached

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by placing said copy in a postpaid envelope addressed to the person hereinafter named, at the place and address stated below, which is the last known address, and by depositing said envelope and contents in the United States Mail at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

#### Addressee:

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